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MANY SPEEDY HORSES

Biggs & Peacock Will Ship a Car Load Next Week

MR. JOHNSON BUYS SILVER KING

Biggs & Peacock, the local firm of horse trainers who have been located at Chestertown, Md., preparing their horses for the spring and summer racing season have chartered an express car and will, on Wednesday and Thursday, ship their race horses to Rockport Ohio.

In the lot that will be shipped are Princess March, 2.14 1-4; Barnetta B., 2.13 1-4; Dixie D. 2.19 1-4; and Fi Fi, Barnett B11, June Bug and Joe B., all green pacers with no marks. Their intention is to race at Rockport, Ohio, and Erie, Pa., then to return and race the green pacers through the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia circuit where they are all entered in the stake races. Joe B. was recently sold by Chestertown parties to R. W. Warren and William H. Ball of Delaware City at a long price. He is a young horse and was recently driven a mile over the Chestertown track in 2.14. This is as fine a lot of horses as ever left the peninsula to go to the races and every one can beat 2.15.

George H. Johnson of this town has bought the black stallion Silver King that won the second race at the matinee at Wawaset Park, Wilmington on Saturday. Horsemen predict this at a great find, he coming off the road on Saturday driven by a boy and in competition with professional drivers, and went a mile on the trot all the way in 2.22. Mr. Johnson consigned his gray pacer Coniston to the sale at Nichol's bazaar, Philadelphia, Pa., and he was sold Tuesday. Silver King will be trained by A. H. Tyson and raced in the southern circuit late this fall.

Arthur Crowe who recently left the employ of Biggs & Peacock left Tuesday for Chestertown, taking a position with W. H. Whitely of that town. He will prepare Billy Hailthorpe for the stake races at Chestertown, Cambridge and Easton.

DOINGS OF THE ODESSA A. C.

"Doc" Carrow distinguished himself Saturday by sending Mercury home with but four hits, that was some pitching, Eh! boys?

Captain Ward was right on the job with his "big stick" getting three hits of his four trips to the plate, he is some short stop too.

It was impossible to get one past "Big Bob" Heller on first, he scooped up everything that came his way. Keep the good work up old boy.

"No body steals" is "Sud" Wallace's motto, and he is certainly adhearing to it, for not one, have the visitors succeeded in swiping in thelast two games.

Gremminger has his "big stick" working again and is batting at a .444 rate, he is right there in the centre garden, accepting many difficult chances.

Wiest was on a slump Saturday, but why should we worry? he will be right on the job as good as ever today.

"Vetern Pete" Peckard is covering left-field in fine style, he makes a couple of hair-raising catches every game.

"Perc" Wallace is a regular Frank Baker at third base, he accepts every chance and is batting at the .300 mark.

Donovan is another outfielder who has been playing excellent game, his stickwork is improving rapidly and he will soon be among the leaders.

"Buzz" Wallace is making good in right-field, in fact he is doing so well that we are afraid Connie Mack will have him before the season is over.

Silverbrook will be the attraction today, and as they have defeated many fast teams this season a good game may be anticipated.

Base-ball at Odessa

The game at Corbit Park, Odessa, on Saturday afternoon last was a "corker" the Mercury Club of Wilmington, being the opponents of the locals. It was a game worth seeing, the score ending with an easy victor for the Odessa club 9 to 1. Carrow was in the box aud his work was fine. The feature of the game took place in the seventh inning. Carrow passed the first man up, the second reached first on an error, as also did the third. With the bases all filled, the excitement was at fever heat; the fourth batter, with none out, things looked bad but the batter hit the ball, Carrow captured it, threw to Wallace the catcher, in time to catch the runner at the home plate, who threw the ball to first; making a pretty double play, much to the disappointment of a number of young ladies who came down with the visitors. The next man up was fanned. The score by innings:

Mercury,.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1
Odessa,.....4 0 1 1 1 0 0 2 x—9

Umpires—Pennington and Stevens.

Entertained at Cards

Mrs. Clara Brady Green and the Misses Ethel and Helen Brady entertained a number of friends at cards at their home near town on Thursday of last week. The prize winners were: Miss Helen Shallcross, first; Mrs. G. L. Townsend, second; Mrs. F. B. Watkins, consolation; Mrs. R. J. Ford, of East Orange, N. J., the visitor's prize.

ODESSA

Miss Tricknor, of St. Louis, Mo., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ford.

Mrs. William Eccles and daughter were Wilmington visitors part of last week.

Mrs. Anna Fenton, of Philadelphia, is spending some time at the home of Mrs. C. Stidham.

Misses Blanche Wiest and Viola Smith were Newark visitors Friday and Saturday last week.

Mrs. John Cooper, of Smyrna, was the guest of her niece Mrs. Mary E. Morgan this week.

Lou Skelenger, of Wilmington, was the guest of her cousin Miss Emma Eccles on Thursday last.

Mr. Frank Valentine and wife and Mrs. Robb, of Chester, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morris part of last week.

Mr. Fred Stevens wife and two sons, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Preston Stevens were guests of Captain Pierce Stevens and wife part of this week.

A beautiful program has been arranged for the Children's Day Services at Drawyers Presbyterian Church Sunday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

The remains of Mrs. Sophia Gremminger were interred in St. Paul's M. E. Cemetery on Saturday afternoon last. Services were held from her late home at 1.30 o'clock. Mrs. Gremminger was the widow of the late Michael Gremminger of this town, was well known and had many friends. She leaves six daughters and three sons to mourn her loss.

PLEASANTON–BARNHILL

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wedesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pleasanton at McDonough, when their daughter, Grace, was united in marriage by Rev. F. F. Carpenter, of Wilmington, to Mr. William Barnhill, of Wilmington, under a canopy of asparagus ferns, daisies and white carnations, which was built on the porch. The home was prettily decorated with ferns, lilies and carnations. The bride looked very sweet in a white serge tailored suit and crepe de chine waist and white transparent hat, trimmed with lillies of the valley and carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley and bridal roses. Her matron of honor was her sister Mrs. Lola Walters, who wore a white embroidered Paris organdie with pink sash, and a hat of white lace with pink rose buds, her bouquet was pink sweet peas. The little flower girl was Evelyn Maruel, of Atlantic City, a cousin of the bride; she looked dainty in a white embroidered dress with blue sash and lace hat, she carried a basket of red and white roses, which she threw in the path of the bride. Mr. George Barnhill acted as best man, and Miss Jeanette Simmons played the wedding march and other selections. After the ceremony, refreshments were served to the bridal party and immediate families of bride and groom. They left for New York and various places amid showers of rice and confetti, where they will remain until sailing for Panama on July 3d, where the groom has a government position.

CHESAPEAKE CITY

Mr. Oakley Barwick is spending some time in Baltimore.

Mrs. Joshua Craig is spending the summer in Baltimore.

Mrs. Annie T. Eggee is visiting relatives in Wilmington, Del.

Miss Maggie Lum is visiting Miss Mabel Short, at Iron Hill.

Mrs. Albert Spear is visiting her father Mr. Richard Gray, near Odessa.

Miss Thelma Berger and girl friends are spending about two weeks at "Randalia."

Mrs. Florence Shelton, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Teal, of Back Creek.

Miss Elizabeth Scott, of Elkton, Md., spent the past week-end with Miss Mary Barwick.

Dr. J. M. de Coursey, of Michigan, spent several days last week in New York City and Philadelphia.

Mr. Harry M. Griffith, of Morrisville, Pa., spent Friday of last week with his mother Mrs. A. M. Griffith.

Mrs. Mary Foard and Miss Mollie Foard spent several days last week with Mr. R. B. Foard, on the Manor.

Miss Jennie Bishop returned home after a pleasant stay with her sister Mrs. R. B. Merritt, at Warwick.

Miss Marian E. Ott has returned to her home in Elkton after spending some time with Miss Helen Loveless.

Miss Mamie H. Wright, of Mt. St. Agnes' College, Mt. Washington, Md., is spending her mother Mrs. Margaret Wright.

Mrs. Albert Beeswanger and mother Mrs. Baumguard spent Sunday last with Rev. and Mrs. Kenney, at Chesworld, Del.

Misses Belle andd Kate Cropper, of Philadelphia, have returned to their home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Waitman Smithers.

Miss Ethel M. Ellison, of the Curtis Publishing Co., of Philadelphia, is spending two weeks at the home of her parents on the Manor.

FRIENDS & VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

THOSE THAT COME AND GO

Miss Helen Jones is the guest of the Misses Hurd near McDonough.

Miss Sarah Cullen, of Wilmington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Fouracre.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank I. Reynolds, of Akron, Ohio, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. Norman Culver, of Easton, is spending several days with his mother here.

Miss Lillian Hodge, of Elwyn, Pa., spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. Joseph Biggs.

Hon. Franklin Brockson, of Clayton visited Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. George Law, of Rahway, N. J. spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stevens.

Miss Ida V. Howell and Mrs. Henry D. Howell spent part of last week with relatives in Camen, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Lewis, of Wilmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Price last week.

Mrs. Alfred R. Stevens and two sons, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stevens.

Miss Laura Hurd, of Wilmington, is spending a weeks' vacation with her parents near McDonough.

Mr. Thomas Craven, of Salem, N. J., was a Middletown visitor last week, while in this neighborhood looking over his farms.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Duryea have Mrs. Charles McLein and daughters Elizabeth and Alice, of Brookyn, N. Y., for visitors.

Miss May McFaul has gone to Hockessin where she will spend the summer with her parents Rev. and Mrs. D. B. McFaul.

Carl Harrington, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his wife at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Julian Cochran.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Metten and children, of Wilmington, were weekend visitors with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Metten.

Mrs. John M. Naudain and daughter Miss Helen Naudain, of Baltimore, Md., have been visiting Mrs. Naudain's mother Mrs. S. E. Houston.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert A. Comegys and little sons, of Philadelphia, were over Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. William A. Comegys on South Broad Street.

Appointments Announced

Governor Miller has announced the following appointments at the State House at Dover:

Hiram W. Woolford, justice of the peace and notary public at Clayton, in lieu of O. M. Carey, resigned.

Members of county school commission —New Castle county, Elias N. Moore, Odessa; Kent county, Theodore Townsend, Milford; Sussex county, Everett Hickman, Frankford.

Member of Board of Supervisors of State and county institutions in New Castle county under act of 1909, Miss Sybil Gordon, secretary of Associated Charities of Wilmington.

Carey's resignation as justice of the peace at Clayton relieves a muddled situation there. He was not serving and new justice could not be named until his term expired or he resigned it was claimed.

Dull Business Costs $70,000

That employes of the Maryland division of the Pennsylvania railroad are losing in wages $70,000 monthly, that more than 1,200 railroad men are out of work in this division and that the Pennsylvania railroad has more than 1,000 idle freight cars between Wilmington and Washington, D. C., was the statement of R. F. Baylis, chief clerk to Superintendent Whitney.

While Mr. Baylis did not make the direct announcement, it is known that local officials of the Pennsylvania blame the present business depression for conditions on the division. Improvement is looked for in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission grants the five per cent increase in freight rates appeal.—*Evening Journal.*

OBITUARY

WILLIAM U. HAMILTON

William U. Hamilton son of the late Mary Naudain and William U. Hamilton of Odessa, Del., died in Baltimore, Md., on June 20th, after a long illness. His remains were brought on and interred in the Hamilton lot in Drawyers Cemetery on Tuesday, June 23, 1914.

CONRAD RUPPLE

Mr. Conrad Rupple died at his home on Lake Street, last Saturday morning aged 70 years; interment was made at St. Anne's cemetery, Monday afternoon. Mr. Rupple leaves a wife a son and daughter to mourn his death.

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TOWNSEND

Mrs. Edward Reynolds was a visitor in Philadelphia Monday.

Mrs. Emma Hues, of Betterton, spent Sunday with Richard Hodgson.

Frank Collins left town Sunday for a months' stay in Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. George Knotts is spending this week with her son G. Lloyd Knotts and wife.

Mrs. Rose Evans, of Middletown, is spending part of this week with D. B. Jones.

Mrs. Jennie Staats is spending the summer months with her daughter Mrs. Joseple Pritchard.

Leroy Lockerman, wife and son, of Delmar, visited their parents in and near town this week.

Margaret Hutchin visited her cousin Mrs. Gertrude Gibson, nesr Centreville, from Saturday until Monday.

Dr. Heinbach and family, of Kane, Pa., and Mrs. George Crossan, of Wilmington, are visiting Mrs. J. A. Hart.

Mrs. Robert Beardsley and daughter Dorothy, are spending this week in Wilmington the guests of William Riggs and wife.

Mrs. Virginia Lee took her Sunday School class for a days' outing Wednesday, to the bungalow at Noxontown Lake. The Children had a delightful time.

Mrs. J. Austin Hart entertained about thirty friends at her home Tuesday afternoon, from two to four o'clock, in honor of her guests Dr. Heinbach and family and Mrs. George Crossan.

A home gathering wss held at the home of Mrs. Samuel Merritt, Friday afternoon, in remembrance of her 54th birthday. The event was a complete surprise, and a number of nice and useful gigts were presented to the mother. The time was pleasantly spent in music and other joyous ways. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Henry Curlotte and family, Mrs. F. L. Collins and family, James Curlott and family, Mrs. I. B. Wick and children, J. Bailey and family, Linwood Curlotte, and wife, Mrs. Ford and Mrs. F. Ryan.

Social at Bethesda

The Sunday School Social at Bethesda M. E. Church given at the close of the Contest between the "blues" and the "reds" Thursday evening, was a great success.

A special table was prepared in the primary room for the primary scholars. To see these little folks at the table enjoying their ice-cream and cake gladdened the hearts of all onlookers and amply repaid all, for the trouble and expense.

The Supt. M. B. Burris, Esq., called the audience to order and after singing Rev. E. W. Caswell offered prayer.

About 300 persons were served with refreshments which consisted of strawberries, ice cream and cake. The cake makers of Middletown are hard to surpass. Patriotic airs were sung and the social will be remembered by all who attended as a most enjoyable occasion.

St. Anne's Church Notes

July 28th. The Third Sunday after Trinity.

Morning Prayer and Sermon at 10.30 a. m.

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Evening Prayer and Address at 7.30 p. m.

On account of the Rector taking his vacation in July there will be no services in St. Anne's Church.

The offerings at the 209th Anniversary Service at Old St. Anne's amounted to $253. And subsequent gifts raising the total to $300.

Friends of Mrs. Natalie Green Blatch ford have placed as a memorial to her in St. Anne's Church, a Brass Altar Book Stand. This beautiful piece of work was made by the firm of R. Geissler, Inc., New York City.

Bethesda Church Notes

June 28th. 9.30 a. m., Brotherhood Devotional meeting.

10.30 a. m. At the request of the Delaware Sunday School Association the Pastor will preach a sermon next Sunday morning on Sunday School work. Subject, "The relation of the church and the Sunday School to each other." Parents, teachers, officers and scholars are urged to be present.

2 p. m. Sunday School. Let there be no lagging in attendance.

The twilight service begins at 6.45 p. m. Installation of Brothehood officers, followed by a short sermon. The services will be brief during the summer months.

The Junior League has suspended its meetings until September.

Forest Church Notes

Sunday, June 28th.—10.30 a. m., Public Worship.

11.45 a. m., Sunday School.

2.30 p. m., Children's Day Service of the Armstrong Sunday School tomorrow afternoon.

6.45 p. m., Christian Endeavor.

7.30 p. m., Evening Service.

A Moonlight Fete

On the lawn of Mrs. Mary E. Shallcross under the auspices of the New Century Club ladies on Wednesday evening, July 8th.

A HISTORIC CHURCH

209th Anniversary of the Founding of Old St. Anne's

ABLE ADDRESS BY MR. CATTELL

The two hundred and ninth anniversary of the founding of St. Anne's Episcopal Church, was celebrated Sunday. The anniversary sermon was preached by the Rt. Rev. Frederick J. Kinsman, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Delaware. At the afternoon service an address was delivered by Edward J. Cattell, of Philadelphia. Special music was a feature of both the morning and afternoon services.

During the day fully a thousand persons attended the anniversary services at the quaint old church among the huge oaks in the grove. Between seventy-five and a hundred antomobiles brought visitors from a distance to the church while hundreds came to Middletown on the early morning trains. Among the visitors were many men prominent in the business, professional and political activities of the state.

The anniversary services in the morning were conducted by the Rev. Percy L. Donaghay, rector of St. Anne's. Special music was rendered by the choir and several solos were sung by John W. Vandersloot, bass soloist, and Charles W. Deans, tenor soloist of Philadelphia.

REVIEWS HISTORY

In his sermon, Bishop Kinsman told of the early history of St. Anne's parish from the time of the founding of the church in 1705 to the present time. He told of the part played by the society for the propagation of the gospel in the establishment of the church in Appoquinimink hundred, and of the erection of the first church building in 1702. He recounted the work accomplished by the different rectors of the church since the time of its founding until the present time.

In speaking of the significance of the name "St. Anne's" he dismissed any credence in local traditions concerning the naming of the parish after any local person, declaring that there could be but little doubt but that the parish was named after Queen Mary of England, who was crowned queen about the time of the founding of the church. He reminded his hearers of the many benevolences bestowed on the parish by the queen during her life time. He drew the attention of the audience to a fragment of an altar cloth, bearing the initials "A. R." which had been embroidered by the queen and presented to the parish.

Bishop Kinsman also declared that there was a possibility that the church had been named after Anne, the mother of the Virgin Mary, but said that the evidence tended to show that the church was really named "St. Anne's" as a compliment to the reigning monarch.

AFTERNOON SERVICE

The afternoon services were conducted by the Rev. Percy L. Donaghay, rector of St. Anne's assisted by the Rev. Thomas Getz Hill, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Smyrna. The address was delivered by Edward J. Cattell of Philadelphia.

In his address Mr. Cattell spoke of the necessity of preserving such monuments of a past generation as St. Anne's and perpetuating them for future generations. He pointed out the beauties of the old church building among the old trees and told of the enthusiasm which the sight of the old church with its traditions should inspire in everyone.

The offering at the two services of the day amounted to over $250. This amount will be devoted to the erection of a brick wall around the church yard. Already a large portion of the wall has been erected with several memorial gates.

SKETCH OF CHURCH

St. Anne,s Church was first founded in 1705, just two hundred and nine years ago, although the history of the parish really begins in the preceding year. The founding of the parish in Appoquinimink hundred was largely the result of the work of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. This society was organized in 1701, and in the following year sent out the Rev. George Keith on a trip through the colonies to observe the conditions. The founding of the parish of St. Anne's was a direct result of the visit of the Rev. Keith to Delaware.

In 1704 Richard Cantwell and William Dyre, with several others, were authorized to survey and lay out the tract of ground on the left hand of Queen's Road below Appoquinimink hundred for the erection of the church. The first church building was erected the following year, and although a rude structure did service for more than sixty years.

After the erection of the church building the parish was three years without any settled rector, services being held in the church by visiting clergymen from New Castle, Dover or the neighboring state of Maryland. In 1708, however, the Rev. Thomas Jenkins became the first rector of the parish. He died the following year, but in the short time in which he was rector drew together a congregation of over 200 persons.

Services were conducted with more or less regularity at St. Anne's until the troubulous days of the opening of the Revolution. On Sunday, July 28, 1776, the Rev. Phillip Reading being rector, the last services were held until after the close of the Revolutionary War.

It was during the time that the Rev. Mr. Reading was rector of St. Anne's that the present structure was built. The exact date of the erection of the church is largely a matter of conjecture but it is certain that the present structure was built about the year 1768, the bricks, according to tradition, being brought from England. It was also probaby during the ministry of the Rev. Mr. Reading that the silver communion set, still in use of the parish, was presented to St. Anne's by Mrs. Rebecca Dyre, then of New York city, but formerly a member of the parish.

In the minutes of the parish under date of October 3, 1866, is found the first mention of the erection of a new church building in Middletown. The new church was not erected until 1872, when the Rev John C. McCabe, D. D. was rector. In the meantime however the necessity for a place for holding services in Middletown was supplied by renting a room on Broad street opposite the Academy. The present church in Middletown was consecrated on April 4, 1872.

LOCAL NEWS

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
J. C. GREEN.

This store will be open all day July 4th. FOGEL & BURSTAN.

This store will close Saturday, July 4th. J. B. MESSICK.

FRESH and SALT FISH at my store at all times. W. C. JONES.

Messick's store will close at 6 P. M. July and August. J. B. MESSICK.

The best steak, roasts, lamb and veal at W. C. JONES'.

Dr. Warren S. P. Combs Dentist. Successor to the late Dr. J. C. Stites.

This store will be open all day July 4th. FOGEL & BURSTAN.

Our Mid June sale starts this week read our add for the many bargains we are offering. FOGEL & BURSTAN.

HIGH GRADE LEHIGH COAL always in stock and under cover, guaranteed free from dirt.
Phones 5 and 48
JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

A dance will be given at Lorewood Grove, Wednesday evening, July 1. A three piece orchestra will furnish music. All are invited.

Register of Wills, Francis M. Walker, has granted lettres testamentary on the estate of Emma Airich, to John Francis McWhorter, of Middletown.

The ladies of Bethel Church, Pivot Bridge will hold an ice cream festival on the evenings of June 30th, and July 1st. If stormy next clear evening.

We have stored 5-8 TRUCK and PEACH BASKETS for SALE in any QUANTITY. Phones 5, 41 and 48.
JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

WANTED.—Farm, also large tracts of land with or without stock. Write complete description, price, terms, etc.,
E. BRIONNE,
23 Duane St., New York City.

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of Letters remaining unclaimed in the Post Office, for week ending June 18th: Mrs. P. Whitman, Miss Emma Condiff, Miss Laura E. Deshield, Dr. G. W. Harrison, T. E. Newton, John Henry Mockey, Edward Garrison, John H. Parker.

WANTED—Tobacco salesmen. Earn $100 monthly. Expenses. Experience unnecessary. Advertise and take orders from merchants for Smoking and Chewing tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars, etc. Send 2 cent stamp for full particulars.
HERMET TOBACCO CO.,
New York, N. Y.

WILL BE "WETS" VS. "DRYS"

Predictions that the next national political campaign in the United States will be fought out on a "wet" and "dry" issue and that the year 1920 will see a nominee of the Prohibition party in the White House, were made by H. P. Faris, treasurer of the Prohibition National Committee, in welcoming the delegates to the national conference of the Prohibition Party in session at Clinton, Mo., this week. Mr. Faris declared it is almost hopeless to expect to get prohibition by the plan of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.

"You workers and leaders here today," said Mr. Faris, "have driven the enemy from his several outposts of free rum, low license, local option and his last great breastwork of national license and have centered the attention of the people on the fact that prohibition is not a local or State but a national issue. We must show the people that there is folly in attempting to get two-thirds of both branches of Congress, and next the Legislatures of three-fourths of the States to give us a constitutional amendment when most of these members of Congress and the Legislatures are elected and controlled by the demonized rum power in politics."

Inspected Farms

The first of a number of similiar events planned by the State Board of Agriculture was an inspection of farming facilities in Sussex county at Bridgeville last week during which Governor Charles R. Miller and several other prominent Delawareans were guests of Newton L. Grubb, member of the board, at his farm and were there for luncheon.

After the luncheon the guests and members of the board had the opportunity to view Mr. Grubb's farm and those of others in the vicinity. An inspection was also made of the canning factory of the Cannon Co., which turned out a million cans of peas last week. The members of the party were delighted with this inspection.

Among the guests in addition to Governor Miller were Chief Justice James Pennewill and Former Governor William Cannon. Others present included Oliver Newton, Gen. A. R. Benson and Dr. H. P. Eves.

Aspril–Finley Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vandergrift Aspril Jr., of Odessa, have issued announcements of the marriage of their daughter Miss Frances Aspril, to James Archie Finley. The cermony was solemnized at their home at Odessa on Saturday afternoon, with only the immediate families present. Mr. and Mrs. Finley went north on a wedding trip and will be at home after September 1, at 232 East Meade street, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia.

NO MAGIC IN CREDIT

U. S. Department Tells "How to Use Farm Credit"

THREE RULES TO CONVINCE

Five rules designed to convince farmers that there is no magic about credit are set down in Farmers' Bulletin in 593 "How to Use Farm Credit," which the United States Department of Agriculture has just published. Unless the farmer who is thinking of borrowing money fully understands these rules and is willing to be guided by them the Government's advice to him is: "Don't!" As it is, there are probably almost as many farmers in this country who are suffering from too much as from too little credit. Of these rules, the three most important are:

1. Make sure that the purpose for which the borrowed money is to be used will produce a return greater than needed to pay the debt.

2. The length of time the debt is to run should have a close relation to the productive life of the improvement for which the money is borrowed.

3. Provision should be made in long time loans for the gradual reduction of the principal.

The first rule is, of course, the key to the wise use of credit. Between borrowing money to spend on one's self and borrowing money to buy equipment of some sort with which to make more money, there, is all the difference between folly and foresight, extravagance and thrift. If the money is borrowed for a wise purpose, it will produce enough to pay back principal and interest and leave a fair margin of profit for the borrower into the bargain. If it is borrowed for a foolish purpose it will produce nothing, and consequently there will be nothing with which to pay the loan. From this point of view, it matters comparatively little whether the interest be high or low. It is the repayment of the principal that is the chief difficulty.

Rules 2 and 3 deal with the most satisfactory ways of repayment. Underneath them both is the same principle: The loan must be repaid with the money it owns itself. For example, if the money is used to buy a machine that will last ten years, the machine must earn enough in that time to pay for itself, or it never will. The loan, therefore, should be entirely repaid before the ten years are up, or the farmer will lose money on the transaction, paying out interest for no benefit; if too early a date is set for repayment, the machine will not have had sufficient opportunity to make the requisite money, and the borrower may have difficulty in raising it elsewhere. Rule 3 provides for some form of amortization, the system by which the principal is repaid in installments, so that the amount of the loan is continually diminishing and in consequence the interest charges also. Such a system is quite feasible when the loan is really productive when it returns to the borrower a definite revenue each year. Tables showing the payments required to pay off principal and interest in varying periods of time are appended to the Bulletin, and are recommended to the serious consideration of anyone who contemplates borrowing money. The Bulletin also advises the farmer to secure the lowest possible interest rate. At first sight this seems too obvious to be worth mentioning. Of course, the interest should be as small as possible. Everybody knows that, except the the lender. But if the other rules are observed, if the borrower manages his financial affairs soundly, he will be surprised to find how much it is to obtain favorable terms. The right kind of lender does not want to foreclose mortgages; he wants his money back with a fair profit, like any other merchant. For money that borrowed wisely, for money that is sure to be repaid, he charges low interest.

This, in fact, is why the Government has published these rules for borrowers. It is not so much a matter of driving a shrewed bargain as it is observing a few fundumental principles which alone can make credit a blessing and not a curse.

Potatoes Without Vines

The discovery of a white potato which grows without vines, recently exploited by a Kansas paper, is no new thing. For several years and in various sections of this country experiments have been made known with the view of reducing to a minimum, or eliminating entirely, the tops or vines of potatoes.

Here in Delaware the experiment has been tried by several persons, and near Farmington, Kent county, J. E. Dolph for the past three years has experimented with the vineless white potatoes. He reports that he planted first of May, and there are now growing six and seven potatoes as large as walnuts, without a sign of a vine growing over them.

School Election

The regular stated meeting of School Commissioners will be held in the Academy this afternoon at 2 o'clock at which an election will be held for two members of the board. The election is to fill the place of W. Stevens and J. C. Jo... whose term will expire.

MRS. WINN'S ADVICE TO WOMEN

Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and be Restored to Health.

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Mrs. Petrowsky Was Unused to Words Employed by Volunteer Social Worker.

The trained social worker was "breaking in" a volunteer, and so she escorted her on her first round of visits.

"Ask questions about their husbands and children," she prompted, outside of Mrs. Petrowsky's door. "They can understand those, and they like to answer, and we get the information we need at the same time."

So, as soon as the preliminaries were over, the volunteer turned to the lady of the house with her best society smile.

"Has your husband regular employment at present, Mrs. Petrowsky?" she inquired.

Mrs. Petrowsky looked blank. The volunteer raised her voice, and spoke more slowly:

"Has your—husband—regular—employment—at present?" she reiterated.

"Huh?" asked Mrs. Petrowsky, stupidly.

"Has—your—husband—" began the volunteer for the third time, still more loudly.

The social worker interrupted with a friendly smile. "The lady wants to know," she explained, quietly, "has your old man got a steady job?"

Mrs. Petrowsky beamed with delight. "Oh, ya! Oh, ya!" she assented, with many nods of relief. "Steady job by railroad, ya. What land she come off, her?"—Youth's Companion.

Valuable Land in Egypt.

The presence in this country of Sir William Willcocks, of Assouan dam fame, and now engaged on the flood control of the Tigris-Euphrates river, is an event of more than ordinary significance, because of its bearing upon the question of the control of flood water, says the Wall Street Journal. The Nile valley irrigation works, according to Sir William, has enabled 11,000,000 people to live on 6,000,000 acres. Land, he says, in the vicinity of the Assouan dam is worth from $750 to $1,000 an acre, and they raise five hundredweight of cotton on it, which is worth $100. His view of our methods of controlling the Mississippi is of much value because of his experience in Asia and Africa. No foreigner has more studiously read the reports of our river and harbor engineers. His main suggestions are that the levees be made wider and that relief channels be provided to mitigate the strain when waters at their maximum might be carried off as a means of safety.

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Recompense.

The Nomad chieftan gloomily contemplated the dreary Syrian landscape.

The wedding guests were long departed. He had but a moment since beheld his bride of a few hours remove her teeth and put them in a cup of water to soak.

"Dismiss from thy heart, good my lord," the damsel murmured, "thy vain regrets."

Upon the word the pious Moslem extended his clasped hands toward the heavens.

"Allah be praised!" he cried. "If I mistake not, her old man must ere this have discovered that the horse I gave him in exchange for his daughter is balky."

Tears of joy welled unheeded from his eyes as he gave thanks.

Amends.

"Would you believe it now, Miss Sparks?" said the genial stout young man as he mopped his brow. "I weigh all of two hundred and fifty pounds."

Miss S. (sighing)—I suspected as much just now when we were dancing and you stepped on my foot.

G. S. Y. M.—Oh, I'm sorry. Please forgive me. The very first thing in the morning I'll go on a diet.

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FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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STATE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Latest Doings in Various Parts of the State.

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Thomas Perry died suddenly at Salisbury.

Harry Earnshaw Stover died at Hagerstown.

The tax rate for Talbot county was fixed at 35 cents.

Rock Hill College finals were held at Ellicott City.

Thirteen graduates received degrees from St. John's College, Annapolis.

Mary Agnes Thomas, colored, 12 years old, is in La Plata jail on a charge of arson.

Fire destroyed a house near Monrovia owned by John M. Umberger and occupied by Harry Betson.

Rev. William F. Freund, pastor of Manokin Presbyterian Church, Princess Anne, has resigned.

The Naval Academy authorities forwarded to Washington their report on the investigation of fraudulent examination papers.

The small daughter of Roscoe Sisson was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Sisson home at Forest Glen, Montgomery county.

Monsignor Seton, titular archbishop of Heliopolis, will be attached to Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, next year, in an ex-officio capacity.

The Maryland Bankers' Association went on record as favoring a one-cent rate for first-class mail matter. George R. Gehr, of Westminster, was elected president of the association.

Judge Brashears, at Annapolis, decided that H. R. Mayo Thom, J. Pembroke Thom and William C. Watkins must vacate the natural bar portion of the oyster grounds leased by them from the state.

At the convention of the Maryland Bankers' Association at Cape May, Channing Rudd discussed the new Federal Reserve Bank act, and Claude Gilbert criticised county banking methods.

The commencement exercises of Trappe High School were held Friday evening in the Methodist Episcopal Church of that town. Congressman J. Harry Covington delivered the address to the graduates, who are Muriel May Bartlett, Neva Muriel Jones, Carrie Eleanor Merrick, Mary Elizabeth Mushaw, Gertrude Josephine Kemp and Mary Etta Tarbutton.

Graduation ceremonies of St. Mary's School, Annapolis, were held Friday night. The scholastic honors were taken by Miss Fayetta M. Tolson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tolson, of Annapolis. The other graduates were: Margaret M. Kramer, Percy J. Brock and George B. Woelfel. The address was delivered by the Rev. Father Barron, rector of St. Mary's Church.

William Pusey, a farmer, living near Federalsburg, was seriously injured in an encounter with a hog. To cleanse his hogs Mr. Pusey was putting them through a wash. He was in the act of lifting a hog out of the pen when it turned against him. Mr. Pusey was horribly bitten, and he received a blow across his arm from the tusk of the hog, cutting a gash over three inches long. Before Mr. Pusey could get loose from the infuriated animal his arm was nearly broken.

John Fox, about 60 years old, residing near Yellow Springs, was injured about the hand and face in attempting to smoke a cigar which he found along the roadside, and which he thought had been lost by someone. The cigar proved to be one loaded with some sort of a cap, presumably a dynamite cap. The explosion which followed a few puffs upon the cigar was of sufficient force to badly lacerate the hand and face. Mr. Fox said he had just moved the cigar a foot or more from his mouth when the explosion took place.

M. A. C. PLANS OUTLINED.

Dr. Patterson Tells Howard Farmers Of Proposed Expansion.

Ellicott City.—President H. J. Patterson, of Maryland Agricultural College, addressed the Patapsco Farmers' Club, of the Second district of Howard county, at its meeting at Font Hill, the home of Louis T. Clark. Dr. Patterson spoke on the plans of that institution should it succeed in obtaining from the next Legislature the $1,000,000 appropriation refused by the last Legislature. He said the contemplated plan was not a theoretical or sentimental one, but eminently practical, and one that would prove a profitable investment for the whole State, and that it had in view the welfare and advantage of the community at large, producers and consumers.

While tennis is not played to any great extent in the city of Quebec, Consul G. Willrich states that it seems to have obtained a good foothold and is becoming more popular every year. The Quebec Lawn Tennis Club has 5 courts and a membership of 130, while the Victoria Club, membership 25, has 2 courts. Lacrosse is more popular than tennis.

Japan's most expert wrestlers are men who have inherited their ability from ancestors who made wrestling a profession for generations.

AT ANNAPOLIS

26 RECEIVE DIPLOMAS.

Dr. Van Meter Delivers Address At Annapolis High School.

Annapolis.—Twenty-two girls and four boys received diplomas from the Annapolis High School at the commencement exercises Thursday.

The Rev. Dr. J. B. Van Meter, former dean of Goucher College, Baltimore, delivered the address and the diplomas were presented by Dr. Samuel Garner, county superintendent.

The graduates were:

Misses Virginia Basil, Mary Beehler, Dorothea Brewer, Rose Burtis, Eva Carr, Katie Carr, Irma Carr, Edith Dawes, Arline Duvall, Dorothy Frederick, Naomi Garner, Mabel Gott, Florence Gottlieb, Mildred Hopkins, Laura Jickling, Madeline Martin, Margaret Moss, Ruth Metzger, Marguerite Rieve, Bessie Scible, Rhea Smith and Eugenie Voinot, Thomas Frazier, Gilbert Neckerman, Lindsay Sacrey and Carroll Worthington.

The alumni prize for the highest average in scholastic work was won by Eugenie Voinot, daughter of Professor and Mrs. Paul Voinot, of Annapolis. The presentation was made by Miss Katherine McKinsey, president of the Alumni Association.

GOVERNOR GETS LL. D.

Also Conferred On Harrington At St. John's Commencement.

Annapolis.—Governor Goldsborough and State Comptroller Harrington were honored with the degree of doctor of laws at the commencement exercises of St. John's College, held in the gymnasium. Several other honorary degrees were conferred.

Cornelius Comegys, of Scranton, Pa., delivered the address to the graduates. Thirteen cadets comprised the class. The degree of bachelor of arts was conferred on 12, a bachelor of science on the other. Godfrey Child, of Pocomoke City, was the honor man, with Harry L. Reeder, of Butler, Pa., second.

Among the graduates were Samuel M. Phillips, of Quantico; Roy P. Smith, Towson; Robert L. Christian, Ellicott City; Royal Hobbs, Reisterstown; John W. Holman, Friendsville, and William R. Woodward, Annapolis.

Fourth Class P. M's.

Postmasters: Maryland—Bald Eagle, Prince George's county, G. W. Goldsmith; Beachville, St. Mary's county, M. Weiner; Bryans Road, Charles county, J. W. Key; Henderson, Caroline county, E. K. Hooden; Lovevill, St. Mary's county, J. F. Long; Meadows, Prince George's county, M. E. Pumphrey; Newmidway, Frederick county, E. M. Shank; Potomac, Montgomery county, R. H. Gray; Sabillasville, Frederick county, J. W. Myers; Avilton, Garrett county, S. Garlitz; Belle Grove, Washington county, A. Wigfield; Breathedsville, Washington county, C. E. Routsahn; Cabin John, Montgomery county, D. Touhey; Clements, St. Mary's county, C. E. Guy; Comus, Montgomery county, W. A. Maxwell; Dudley, Prince George's county, W. H. Reed; Eagles Mills, Washington county, C. O. Eakle; Fearer, Garrett county, T. B. Hinebaugh; Finzell, Garrett county, F. A. Werner; Guard, Garrett county, W. Guard; Hermansville, St. Mary's county, P. C. Wheeler; Jarboesville, St. Mary's county, E. J. Goodrich; Leeland, Prince George's county, H. L. Morris; Leys, Frederick county, G. M. Robinson; Lyons Creek, Anne Arundel county, A. L. Shepherd; McHenry, Garrett county, H. Brenneman, Maddox, St. Mary's county, L. H. Hancock; Malcolm, Charles county, G. W. Smith; Roxbury Mills, Howard county, W. B. Rucker; Sines, Garrett county, J. Sines; Steyer, Garrett county, V. Steyer; Sutton, Garrett county, H. S. Coleman; Willows, Calvert county, O. W. Siper.

WM. B. WILSON HONORED.

M. A. C. Confers LL.D. On Labor Secretary And J. M. Monroe.

College Park.—Secretary of Labor William B. Wilson discussed the problem of capital and labor in his address to the graduates of the Maryland Agricultural College at the commencement exercises. The degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon him by the board of trustees through President Harry J. Patterson. In his address he contended that the difficulty in settling the capital and labor problem was the question of the proper distribution of the world's products. It must be accomplished, Mr. Wilson said, through education. Labor and capital must get together and settle their differences of their own accord. The Secretary declared that he was not in favor of compulsory arbitration, because, as a rule, neither side was ever satisfied with the result.

M. A. C. AND ST. JOHN'S PRAISED.

War Department For Progress In Military Training.

Washington.—The Maryland Agricultural College and St. John's College, Annapolis, were among the institutions which were commended in a report of the War Department for the steady progress and improvement in the work of their military departments during the last year. These reports were based on the annual inspection of the military departments of educational institutions at which officers of the army are detailed as professors of military science and tactics.

Operating expenses of American railroads in 1913 amounted to $2,184,851,000; gross revenue $3,118,929,000; net, $825,027,000.

Madame Curie, who, with her husband, discovered radium, is the only person in the world to hold two Nobel prizes.

Cuba is spending $1,300,000 in constructing 2,000 houses for workmen to cost $650 each. The workers would become owners by paying a small monthly rent.

Everything Lacking.

Personally we have met some men who, if weighed in the balance, would be found wanting everything, including the balance.—Galveston News.

A Gentle Hint.

She—I wonder why the press, of all human enterprises, is so uniformly successful?

He—If you notice one working, you will see that they are always feeding it.

Shades of Mendelssohn!

In the Liverpool (England) diocese a few weeks ago a very popular wedding took place, the contracting parties being a young clergyman and the daughter of a widely known vicar.

As the happy pair left the church to the familiar strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," the following remark was pathetically uttered by one working woman to another: "Just think of Miss —— having ragtime played at her wedding."

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No More.

Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy's daring presence at the wedding of Huerta's son is only another proof of a brave woman's pluck.

Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, at the Colony club in New York, derided one day the idea that woman was weak, or cowardly, or that she need ever play a limited part in the world's affairs.

"Well," said a lady of the old school, "I know one thing woman can't do. She can's reform a man after marriage."

"No?" Mrs. O'Shaughnessy said. "No? And yet I know many a married man who in his bachelor days smoked 25-cent cigars."

Practical Reasoning.

It was a very youthful class in physiology.

"Why," asked the teacher, "is it best to eat soup first when one is very hungry?"

The pupils stared at her blankly. Then Jamie enlightened them from the depths of his own experience.

"You can get it down faster," he announced.—Delineator.

The Age of Uplift.

Maude—Was it a good play?

Marjorie—Splendid! We expected the police to raid it every minute.—Life.

There is more or less guile in the smile a man generates when he is losing.

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MONARCH'S ACT SURPRISES

Old Lady Thought It Undignified That British Monarch Should Blow His Own Nose.

When King George of Great Britain came to the throne there were wild rumors that he took so little interest in horse-racing that the turf would suffer. This year, however, his majesty has attended a number of the big race meetings.

One recalls the story told of an earlier royal visit to Doncaster. An old Yorkshire woman had gone on the course for the sole purpose of seeing royalty, and she called out excitedly: "Which is the king? Which is the king?"

"There he is," said some one near. "That's him with the handkerchief in his hand."

"Ah!" gasped the old lady, a touch of reverent awe in her tone.

Just then his majesty, who had a cold in the head, performed a commonplace little operation.

"Goodness me!" the old lady exclaimed aghast. "He—he blows his own nose!"

The people who sow the seeds of discontent generally reap the apple of discord.

Perhaps the reason some men are so small is because they shrink from their duty.

Mistaken in the Portrait.

Menzel, the German artist, was a regular patron of a certain Berlin wine shop. One day a man and wife came in and sat down at his table; and presently Menzel noticed that the woman was making fun of him.

Calmly he drew out his sketching book, gazed at the woman awhile, as if to study her face for a portrait, and then commenced to draw. Her husband immediately took notice: "I forbid you to draw a picture of my wife. Stop it!" he exclaimed, angrily.

Menzel made a few finishing touches and then passing the sketching book over to the man, he inquired, with a laugh, "Is that your wife?" He had drawn a goose.—Youth's Companion.

Nothing Left Behind.

"Are you afraid to go away and leave your windows unlocked?"

"Not at all. What is there to be afraid of?"

"I should think you'd be afraid that thieves would get in and steal your valuables."

"Oh, no. We don't own more jewelry than my wife can wear."

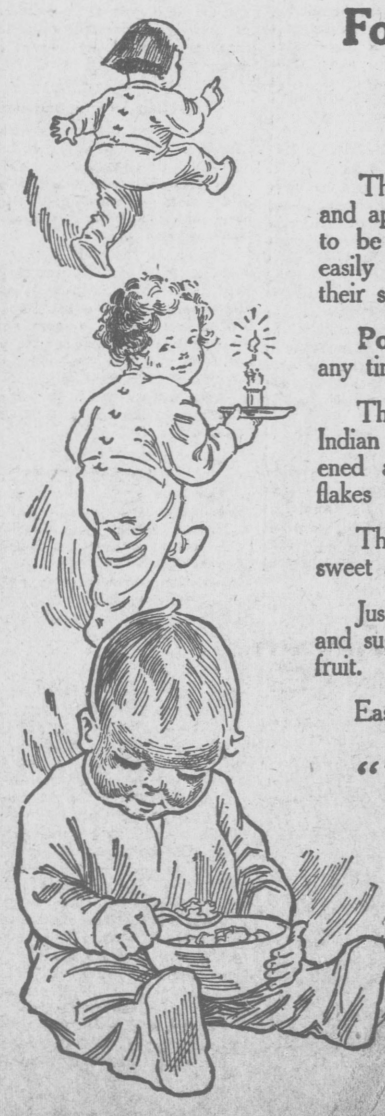
A Mistake.

"You have your nerve with you!"

"And that miserable dentist told me he took it out."

Apple wood is the favorite material for ordinary saw handles, and some goes into so-called briar pipes.

Post Toasties



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"OLD SAINT ANNE'S"

OLD St. Anne's added last Sunday another notable day to the many her long history discloses, when amid her bosky surroundings, doubly memorable from the events that cluster about them, in one of young Summer's rare June days, a largely attended reunion of its members and friends was held with appropriate exercises in that venerable and historic temple.

The occasion was signalized in the morning by a fine sermon at once historical and doctrinal, spoken by the Bishop of the diocese, the Rt. Rev. Frederick J. Kinsman; while in the afternoon, an address admirable not only for eloquence but for nobility of thought and sentiment, was delivered by E. J. Cattell Esq., of Philadelphia—there being present in both instances, large and delighted audiences.

The exercises were held to mark the building of a handsome brick wall around this venerated old edifice and its adjacent God's acre wherein sleep the ancestors of many of the people now or formerly resident in the vicinage.

It is eminently proper that the men should lead in this movement today to preserve the temporalities of "Old St. Anne's" seeing that the women in the early days rescued both its temporalities and its spiritualities, for the church's historian, Rev. William J. Wilkie quotes the Rev. H. Lyon Davis D. D. as saying that in 1832 the parish was "in a sad condition—not a single *male* communicant being found among its people."

He does not despair however: "The dry bones may yet live," he says, because of "a body of faithful women who adorn the doctrine of God their Savior in all things" and because of "a Sunday School numbering ninety pupils, conducted with much diligence and ability"—no doubt by the women also!

But this incident in the history of this church is only a type of what has always and everywhere been witnessed since the founding of the Christian Church.

Too much praise t[illegible] cannot justly be spoken of those "devout women not a few", whose piety and devotion preserved this church when its male members like those earlier disciples "all forsook Him and fled."

But for Woman, no Savior of the world, kin alike to God and man, had been possible; and so from the earliest ages of Christianity woman has ever been, as she is today, the main prop and stay of the Church whose divine Head she was honored in incarnating.

Remove her hand from the church in this year of grace 1914, and the temples of God would presently fall into emptiness and ruin; remove her transforming touch from the child in the formative period of its life and character, and society would ultimately return to something like the rude barbarism out of which it arose.

And yet until within comparatively recent times even in so-called Christian lands woman has not received anything like a just recognition of her rights civilly, legally or politically, while in Mohammedan Turkey and in many heathen lands even the possession of a soul has been denied her!

The condition of its women is a barometer that measures a nation's civilization and development, just as accurately as its consumption of soda ash measures the amount and value of its business in the commercial world.

Therefore it is not the result of any chance that this country of ours has become so great, so rich and prosperous, for it is here more than in almost any other land that Woman has received something like that just consideration and treatment due her as a creature of God equally endowed by a common Creator as her male mate who has through all the long centuries of the world's history, arrogated to himself a pretended superiority, which in truth though, was based upon nothing but a selfish conceit.

The old folly, the ancient lie of this superiority of man over woman, dies hard, buttressed as it seemingly is by the sanction of Holy Writ, as where St. Paul says, "Let your women keep silence in the churches, for it is not permitted unto them to speak;" or again where he says, "If your women will learn anything let them ask their husbands at home." Just imagine, if you can, the average wife learning morality from her husband!

We should be shocked into something like infidelity did we not believe this was another of the cases wherein Paul admits he sometimes "spake as a fool."

Then long may "Old St. Anne's" stand in mute testimony of the devotion of her women!

For of all the truths her walls speak to men none is truer or more fitting today, than this object-lesson of hers, that confutes the venerable, man-invented falsehood that "Woman is the weaker vessel"—man the nobler head divinely commissioned to rule her as his subject and inferior,

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IT is said there are 3,000,000 cases of serious illness existing in this country all the time, and it is believed these can be greatly reduced by co-operative effort. Statistics show that human life has been considerably lenghtened in the past few years, through improved methods of sanitation and the organized fight made on the tuberculosis and the contagious and communicable diseases. Somehow or other all the old terrors of the past, typhoid, smallpox, scarlet fever, diptheria, and other maladies, are not near so prevalent or fatal as they used to be. This all comes from the wise efforts being made to prevent them. The causes of disease are better known and the ways of removing the causes more intelligently applied. The only fatal distemper that has increased in a few years, if it may be called a distemper, is old age. There is concerted movement afoot to still further lengthen human life. The association of life insurance presidents is leading in this movement. There is no set of men better posted as to health conditions in this country. It may seem they are pecuniarily interested. It is unkind to say so, but if the movement favors their business, no intelligent man can complain of that.

THE death of ex-Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois, reduces the number of men now living who have held the office of Vice President to three—Levi P. Morton of New York, Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana and Mr. Roosevelt. The latter, however, is in a higher class being now an ex-President. There are but two living ex-Presidents, Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft.

THE Pullman Company has been ordered to stop the tipping of their porters by the traveling public to get good service. The public has long been paying the freight, but it looks now as if it were going to get part, at least, of the goods.

THE courts have refused to let Harry Thaw go to Pittsburg to assist in settling his father's estate, Afraid some one else will get some of his money if they give him too much liberty.

WILL BRIDGE THE CANAL

LEWES, Del., June 23—Mayor James T. Thompson received s telegram from United States Senator Willard Saulsbury last night to the effect that the War Department at Washington had just approved the plans for the temporary bridge over Lewes canal on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks to the fisheries on Lewes Beach.

The plans were submitted to the War Department several weeks ago by Mayor E. N. Johnston of the Wilmington district who held a conference with Lewes residents in regard to allowing the Pennsylvania railroad to put down their temporary bridge. As the fisheries commenced fishing a few weeks ago and no bridge had been erected, Mayor Thompson at once wrote to Senator Saulsbury asking him to try and hurry along the plans, should they be approved. It is likely that the bridge will at once be constructed by the railroad company so as to allow traffic to go to Lewes Beach.

The Lewes Packing Company stopped work last night on canning peas after one of the shortest seasons known here in several years. While the peas were of fair quality, the crop was very very light on account of the dry weather.

Repairs are being made to the Lewes Life Saving Station on Lewes Beach by the goverment. For several weeks masons, plumbers and carpenters have been making new additions and remodeling the station which will be greatly improved in appearance and comfort.

Beer Flooded County

The largest shipment of beer ever received into Worcester county, Md., was unloaded at Whaleyville, Friday, notwithstanding the fact that Worchester county has a stringent anti-shipping law, and is one of the driest counties on the Eastern Shore. The beer was received at Whaleyville for the 125 Italians working on the State road between Whaleyville and Berlin. These men have been thirsting for beer and, when they ascertained that each could obtain without violating the local option law, six dozen bottles of beer, they dropped shovel and pick and filed orders for the amber fluid which they so much desired. The Italians were happy Saturday with their 9,000 bottles of beer and received visitors.

SOLD COUNTY BONDS

Resolutions awarding the issue of $100,000 4 1-2 per cent. coupon highway bonds, fourth series and $200,000 4 1-2 per cent. coupon Building Commission gold bonds of New Castle county to Harris, Forbes and Company of New York, were adopted at the meeting of the Levy Court Tuesday afternoon. The New York firm were the high bidders on both issues. Their bid for the highway bonds was $100,182 and for the building commission bonds $200,264 with accrued interest.

The bids for the issues were opened by the finance committee of the Levy Court at noon, the time for their opening. The bids received follow: A. B. Leach and Company, New York, highway bonds, $100,000, building commission bonds, $200,000.

Harris, Forbes and Company as stated above.

Delaware Trust Company, Wilmington, building commission bonds $200,182; no bid being made for the highway bonds.

After being read, the bids were referred to the Levy Court sitting as a committee of the whole with the result as stated.

"Wet Goods" Scarce

SEAFORD, June 22.—Although a large quantity of liquor had been ordered for Saturday's delivery, none came by express or steamboat, and the thirsty ones were forced to content themselves with a small quantity brought up the river about midnight, Saturday, in a gasoline boat. As the quantity was comparatively small no disorder attended its use.

Several customers here have been notified by the liquor dealers that it is only a matter of a few days before they can have all the liquor they wish shipped to them.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRDUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Middletown Hotel in the Town of Middletown, St. Georges, Hundred New Castle County Delaware,

ON MONDAY

THE 29TH DAY OF JUNE 1914,

At 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate viz:

All that certain lot or parcel of land, situate in St. Georges Hundred on the north side of the public road leading from Middletown to Odessa and on the east side of the public road leading therefrom to the "Brick Mill" and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the line of the north side of land of the "Odessa and Middletown Railway" and at the middle of the said "Brick Mill" road; thence with the middle of said road towards the "Brick Mill" north three degrees west, thirty-seven and eight-tenths rods to a corner for this lot and land late of Jonathan K. Williams, deceased; thence with the line of said Williams' land north forty-three degrees and three quarters east, twenty four rods and eighteen links of a Gunters Chain to a stone now set in line of said Williams' land and a corner for this lot and land of Franklin J. Pennington; thence for a dividing line for this lot and other land of said Pennington south, three degrees east, fifty-four rods and one link, as aforesaid, to a stone in the northern line of said Railway land and a corner for this lot and other land of the said Pennington; thence with said Railway land, and parallel with said road towards Middletown South, eighty-four degrees west, eighteen rods and twelve links, as aforesaid, to the place of beginning. Containing within said metee and bounds five acres and fifty square rods.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Harry C. Spicer and Fanny Spicer, his wife, Mortgagors, and terre tenants and to be sold by

WALTER B. BURRIS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 11th, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,

THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 1914,

at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot or piece of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in the city of Wilmington aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Lobdell street, between Claymont and Goodman streets, at the distance of fifty feet, three and one-half inches from the westerly side of Goodman street; thence northerly parallel with Goodman street, seventy-five feet to a corner; thence westerly, parallel with Lobdell street, 24 feet, eight and a half inches to a corner; thence southerly parallel with Goodman street, seventy-five feet to the said northerly side of Lobdell street, and thence thereby easterly, twenty-four feet, eight and a half inches, to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Henry S. Townsend, Administrator of the estate of Mary Bachler, deceased, and to be sold by

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Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 11, 1914.

SEASON 1914

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With mealy nose, weighs 800 lbs., and a sure foal getter. We purchased this Jack of J. C. Alston, and his good qualities are well known throughout this community. He will make the season of 1914 at the residence of J. A. Sullivan, in "Middle Neck," Cecil County, Md., at $15 to insure. He will also stand at the residence of J. J. Sullivan, near Warwick. Write us for dates and further particulars.

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Eggs, per doz	20@24
Country Butter, per lb	26@33
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Lard, per lb	12@16
Live Chickens, per lb	12@16
Potatoes	80@1.25

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., JUNE 27, 1914.

LOCAL ITEMS

Trepass Cards for sale at this office.

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
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WANTED—BALED HAY AND STRAW. S. B. FOARD.

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Now is the time to have that summer suit cleaned and pressed. The highest class work only; also Panama and Felt hats cleaned.
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DELAWARE CITY NOTES

On Tuesday evening Old Glory Council, Jr., O. U. A. M., will pay a fraternal visit to Eureka Council of Wilmington. Eureka Council expects to hold a class initiation on that day when about ten candidates will be initiated.

The New Century Club organized here recently will adopt by-laws at the meeting to be held in Assembly Hall on Friday afternoon.

The tax rate has been placed at 80 cents on $100, while the school tax rate has been placed at $1.65 on the $100. The assessed valuations here amounts to about $650,000.

Miss Greta A. Holliday daughter of Mrs. M. A. Holliday was graduated at West Chester State Normal School. She will teach in the public school here next year.

R. L. Cofer of this city announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination to the General Assembly on the Independent ticket. Fred E. Bendler is a candidate for the Republican nomination No Democratic aspirants have as yet appeared to succeed Albert 1. Swan.

John J. Cook, who is ill with a complication of diseases in St. Agnes' Hospital in Philadelphia, is improving.

Mr. William Ball who has been ill for some time is improving.

Children's Day was observed by the Sunday-school of the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, in charge of Harry C. Price, superintendent; Mrs. John E. Schunder, chorister; Mrs. George Kennedy, organist; I. Moore Whitman, cornetist, and Francis Wrigley clarinetist. The program, arranged by Mrs. John Schunder, was: Chorus' school, "Press on in the Royal Way," responsive reading by the school; invocation by the pastor, Dr. John L. Rushbridge; address of welcome, Eeanor Hance Sadler; song, school, "O Trust Ye;" song, primary children, "Joyous Bells;" recitation, "Little Curly Head" James Sadler; exercise, "Four Little Birds,", seven little girls; song, school, "A Joyous Bells;" recitation, "Little Things", Agnes Rishards; exercise, camp-fire girls; recitations and songs by Miss Akers' school; recitation, "Blue Birds" by five girls: recitation, "Little Leaves," Mary Clark; chorus, school; duet, Henry Gardiner and Jack Reybold, "Lily of the Valley;" recitation, "The Secret," Louise Jefferson; song, class of Miss Cleaver, "Roses of June Tide;" recitation, "Frowns and Smiles," Harvey Wilkinssn; exercise, "Two Little Hands" six small boys; recitation, "Tis Children's Day," Morrison Gannon; song, school; exercise, four boys and two girls, "The Ladder;" recitation, "The Old World," Laura Clark; song, school, "Comrades of the King;" exercise and song, "Emblems of Our Nation," six girls and three boys; solo, Miss Catherine Schunder, "Soft O'er the Meadows;" song, school; address by the pastor; offering; song, school and congregation; parting hymn.

Fourth of July Matinee

A big racing matinee, which will attract horsemen of Delaware and Maryland, will be held at the Derrickson stock farm at Frederica on the Fourth of July. A special match race will be run by May Bird, 2.12 1-2, Harry Windsor, of Milford and Bessie M., 2.12 Dr. Cahall, Bridgeville. These horses are considered the fleetest south of Wilmington.

There will be three other races with stellar entries from the stables of E. H. Johnson, Dover, Elbert Saunders, Goldsboro, Myers & Son, Frederica, and the best local horses from Felton, Bridgeville, Milford, Dover, Ellendale, Wyoming and Woodside. Music will be furnished by the Frederica A. O. U. W. Band.

DELAWARE COLLEGE

COMMENCEMENT AT OLD DELAWARE

The Farewell Hop, given by the juniors to the seniors on Wednesday evening, June 27, brought to a close the most successful Commencement Week in the history of Delaware College. The weather was all that could be desired; the attendance exceeded that of other years; and there was a commendable air of seriousness about the exercises of the entire week. More attention was shown to visitors than ever before. The buildings, classrooms, labratories and libraries were thrown open to inspection and student guides were provided for all who desired to inspect the plant and equipment of the College. Guides were also provided for visitors to the College Farm on Farmers's Day. No one who wished to get a better idea of the facilities of his state college had to go away disappointed.

The addresses during the exercises were more thoughtful and stimulating than is usually the case. Two in particular stand out, the baccalureate sermon delivered by the Reverend Mr. Lichliter, of Baltimore, and the Commencement address delivered by United States Senator Joe T. Robinson, of Arkansas. Dr. Lichliter impressed upon the members of the graduating class the necessity of their being spiritual scholars, of their doing social service ("making the road to Jerice safe," as he expressed it), and of their being modern in their religion. "I was born and reared in the West," said Dr. Lichliter in concluding his remarks on the necessity of modernity in religion; I have attended farmers' institutes and camp meetings, but I have never heard the people sing 'The old time reaper is good enough for me."

Senator Robinson spoke to the graduates on "The Rising Standard of Citizenship." He first said that the necessity for high ideals in American citizenship must be apparent to all who have studied the history of our institutions. He then explained that through the ages there has been one question unanswered, one problem unsolved: The overshadowing moral issue, the problem of perfecting society without destroying the individual. After giving a resume of several ideal republics, such as More's Uptopia, Senator Robinson discussed the two indispensible attributes to successful government, general intelligence on the part of citizens, and conscience on the part of the chief executive. Senator Robinson, in closing, eulogized the course taken by President Wilson in dealing with Mexico.

At the Alumni meeting it was stated that $67,000 had been raised of the $80,000 necessary to secure the conditional $20,000 offer made by a friend of the College. It was also stated that the necessary $13,000 would be raised by September.

The Commencement Dance was a success in every way. Visitors were present from the three counties of Delaware and from the neighboring counties of Maryland, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. By permission of the Faculty, the new dances were danced almost exclusively. The wives of the members of the faculty acted as patronesses.

GIFTS TO WOMEN'S COLLEGE

At the last meeting of the Women's College Commission, Mrs. A. D. Warner announced that she would provide furniture for the reception room. It was also announced that the W. C. T. U. of Sussex County would contribute enough money to furnish one double room in Residence Hall.

TECHNICAL ENGLISH FOR AGRICULTURE

The introduction of a course in advanced composition for students in Agriculture in the final step in the standardization of the courses of instruction in English for all departments of study. According to the present requirements for graduation, elementary English composition is prescribed for Freshman, English literature for Sophomores, and advanced composition for Seniors. The requirements of technical English for advanced students in engineering and agriculture is in keeping with the growing tendency in colleges and universities to put special stress on instruction in English composition which will enable a technical student to perform the specific tasks in writing which will be demanded of him after graduation. During the last five years, courses in technical English have been introduced into many of our Engineering Colleges and late catalogues of several agricultural colleges, notably Iowa State University and the University of Maine, show that in Agriculture also the need is being felt for specific training in Journalism and in the writing of reports, bulletins, etc. In these universities, technical English is required in the Junior or Senior year. It is hoped that this new course in Delaware College will help materially in increasing the efficiency of our graduates in Agriculture.

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The ladies of Bethel Church, Pivot Bridge will hold an ice cream festival on the evenings of June 30th, and July 1st. If stormy next clear evening.

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BIG CROP OF PEACHES

Maryland's peach orchards, the best and most extensive in the world, give promise of yields this year which will break the record.

This is the view of Prof. Thomas C. Symons, dean, school of horticulture, Maryland Agricultural College, who keeps in close touch with orchardists throughout the state.

Dr. Symons expressed his opinion after an inspection of the orchards of Gen. Murray Vandiver, probably the most extensive in the state, on Spesutia Island, on the Susquehanna River. below Havre de Grace. What he saw and what he learned after a tramp through Gen. Vandiver's orchards, which cover 130 acres, applies, he said, to most orchards in Maryland He saw the thousands of trees with peaches in the working on almost every stem and twig. He estimates the crop from these trees at 25,000 baskets which means 12,500 bushels. The minimum price will be about 75 cents per basket. The maximum price will be in the neighborhood of $1. The net returns ought to be about $15,000. This tidy sum will be in strong contrast to General Vandiver's sad experience last year. He went to bed one night, dreaming of a crop of peaches that would add $15,000 to his fortune. When he awoke next morning Jack Frost had paid a visit to his orchard, and from the trees that gave promise of yielding 25,000 baskets he gathered 82 baskets.

Such is the fate of the peach grower in Maryland.

Gretna Green of Maryland

From the records of the Circuit Court clerk's office, Elkton has established her claim to being the Gretna of Maryland. From May 1, 1913 to June 1 1914, the clerk's office issued 2,017 marriage licenses. The majority of the couples were from Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The smallest number issued in any month was May when 46 was issued, and the largest number in November, when 199 were issued.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the hotel in Townsend, Appoquinimink hundred, New Castle county, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,
THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 1914,
at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described real estate viz:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the town of Townsend, New Castle county and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the east side of South street, a corner for these lands and lands formerly of Joseph C. Clayton, now of William E. Duhadaway thence with line of land said Duhadaway, north seventy-four and one-half degrees, east one hundred and fifty feet to lands of A. L. Quillen; thence with said Quillen's line, south fifteen and one-half degrees, east, fifty feet to a stake, a corner for these and lands of John W. Naudain; thence with said Naudain's land, south seventy-four and one-half degrees, west one hundred and fifty feet to South street aforesaid; thence therewith, north fifteen and one-half degrees, west fifty feet to the place of beginning, containing seven thousand and five hundred (7,500) square feet of land, be the same more or less, with a two story frame dwelling house and bake shop thereon erected.

Also all that certain tract or parcel of land, situate in Appoquinimink hundred, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake in line of lands of John W. Wright, deceased, and standing in the public road, leading from the "Pine Tree" road to the Union Meeting House from thence with the centre of said road towards the "Pine Tree," road, north forty-one degrees, east ninety-one and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said road, and twenty feet southwest of a division line between the whole tract and lands formerly of William G. Lowe, now of Lora H. Silcox; thence with the residue of said tract being now or late of the lands of Daisy Wiggin, north forty-seven degrees snd fifty-nine minutes, west one hundred and twenty-five perches to a stake, a corner for said Daisy Wiggin, and thence with said Wiggin's line, south forty-one degrees, west ninety-four and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said John W. Wright's, deceased, line; thence therewith said Wright's line, south forty-nine degrees, east one hundred and twenty-five perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-three acres of land, be the same more or less,

Being the same two sracts or parcels of land which Thomas Maloney and Maloney, his wife by their indenture, dated January , A. D. 1898, granted and conveyed to Emma C. Lynam, wife of William W. Lynam, party hereto in fee. Said indenture now before me and intended to be recorded, reference thereto being had the same will more fully and at large appear.

For release of a portion of this property, see Deed Record T. Vol. 20, Page 577, Etc., the same being in the words and figurese following, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate in Appoquinimink hundred as aforesaid: Beginning at stake in Benjamin Denny's line in the public road leading from the "Pine Tree road to the Union Meeting House; from thence with the centre of said road towards the "Pine Tree" road, north forty-one degrees, east ninety-one and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said road and 20 ft. Southwest of a dividing line between the whole tract and William G. Lowe; from thence with the residue of said tract, north forty-seven degrees, and 55 minutes, west 125 perches to a stake, corner for said residue, and twenty feet distant as aforesaid from the aforesaid division line; from thence with said residue south forty-one degrees, west ninety-four and eight-tenth perches to a stake in Benjamin Denny's line; thence with his line, south forty-nine degrees, east one hundred and twenty-five perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-three acres, clear and woodland.

The said Indenture of Mortgage being made to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred dollars each with interest, from the respective dates thereof, as by reference thereto the same will more fully and at large appear.

Seized and taken in executian as the property of William W. Lynam and Emma C. Lynam, his wife and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 11, 1914.

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TURKEY OPPOSES WARSHIP DEAL

Protest Against Selling Battleships to Greece.

WANTS TO PRESERVE PEACE

The President Favored the Sale Because He Was Informed That It Would Be In Interest Of Peace.

Washington, D. C.—With the Turkish government formally protesting against the proposed sale of the American battleships Mississippi and Idaho to Greece, rumblings of war between Greece and Turkey were carried Monday to the White House. The diplomatic representatives of the two countries called on President Wilson within a few minutes of each other, one to urge and the other to oppose the warship deal. Greece takes the position that if she buys the vessels the balance of power in the Mediterranean will be preserved and peace maintained, while Turkey claims that peace can best be guaranteed by the refusal of the United States to aid in augmenting her rival's naval force.

President Wilson told callers that he favored the sale of the battleships to Greece, because it had been represented to him that such action would be in the interest of peace. He said that if he thought the vessels would be used in an immediate war he would not consent to their sale.

The new Turkish ambassador, Rustem Bey, called on the President, ostensibly to present his credentials, and the Greek charge d'affaires, A. Vouros, presented the new Greek naval attache, Commander Tsouklas. Both diplomats took the opportunity, however, to present their views on the battleship controversy.

The Greek charge stated later that the acquisition of the battleships by Greece was necessary to prevent a war between Turkey and Greece, which would otherwise be brought about by the seizure by Turkey of adjacent Greek possessions. He based the claim of Greece to naval expansion on the treaty of London and Athens, which ceded the Islands of Chio and Mitylene to Greece, and declared Greece must be in a position to defend these possessions.

Mr. Vouros declared that Greece intends to keep pace with Turkey's naval expansion. He pointed out that even when Turkey obtains a dreadnought, which is now being built for her in Brazil, Greece will be stronger if she acquires the American battleships. Greece has another battleship under construction in Germany, the guns of which are being made in Bethlehem, Pa. Turkey has a battleship under construction in Great Britain, but, according to Mr. Vouros, an agreement of nautrality makes it impossible to deliver this vessel within 24 hours of the outbreak of war.

TO CUT POSTAL FORCE.

Burleson Expects To Save From $10,000,000 To $20,000,000.

Washington, D. C.—Postmaster-General Burleson has completed plans which he expects will reduce Uncle Sam's bill for delivering mail from $10,000,000 to $20,000,000 annually and increase the efficiency of the service about 25 per cent. In putting the postal service on a business basis he proposes to cut off enormous expenses entailed through the department being used so much for political purposes and he hopes to build up an efficient working organization.

HERO MEDAL FOR GIRL SCOUT.

Captain Of Savannah (Ga.) Camp Saved a Man's Life.

Washington, D. C.—Miss Doris Lippman, a Girl Scout of Savannah, Ga., has been awarded by the National Red Cross Society a prize of $50 for heroic conduct. According to the announcement of the award made here by the Washington headquarters of the Girl Scouts, the prize goes to Miss Lippman for saving a man's life. The man she saved had been overcome by gas while digging a well.

GIRL SWIMS SEVEN MILES.

She Crosses Hampton Roads In Two Hours and 38 Minutes.

Old Point Comfort, Va.—Elizabeth Meehan, a Philadelphia girl, accomplished a feat never before achieved by a woman in swimming Hampton Roads from Pine Beach to the Hotel Chamberlin. She swam the seven miles in 2 hours and 38 minutes, accompanied by a small launch.

NEW CHARTER REJECTED.

Hagerston Turns Down Commission Form Of Government.

Hagerstown, Md.—The proposed new city charter, providing for a commission form of government, with three commissioners, was rejected by 172 majority. Four wards gave majorities against the charter, while only one ward, the negro ward, gave a majority for the proposition. Just one-half of the registered vote, or 2,234 votes, were cast.

MINISTER AT SUNDAY BALL GAME

Preacher Seizes Opportunity At Cumberland To Address Fans.

Cumberland, Md.—A unique feature in connection with the Sunday baseball game here with Frederick was an address to about 4,000 fans by the Rev. Dr. Gordon Ware, of Seattle, Wash. The minister stood on first base and talked about 15 minutes on "Industrial Responsibilities." He made no reference to Sunday baseball and was loudly applauded upon the conclusion of his address.

THE RIGHT OF WAY

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MAN DEVOURED BY FIVE LIONS

Body Torn to Shreds by the Snarling Beasts.

HAD GONE IN TO FEED THEM

E. D. Dietrich, Aged 26, Of Brooklyn, N. Y., the Victim—Tragedy Happens In the Heart Of Chicago.

Chicago.—Emerson D. Dietrich, aged 26, a graduate of Cornell University, whose home was at 8442 Bay Park, Brooklyn, was torn to shreds and practically eaten alive by five or six lions, whose cage he had entered for the purpose of feeding them.

There were 10 lions in the freight car, located on a sidetrack at Sixteenth street and Indiana avenue, in the heart of the city. During the excitement thousands of people returning from a day's outing were thrown into a condition of panic by information that some of the lions had escaped and were being pursued by rifle squads from all the nearby police stations and the Union Stock Yards.

Notwithstanding the peril, immense crowds surrounded the scene of the tragedy until driven to safety by the police, who had been hastily summoned from every direction.

While Dietrich was making his brief and losing fight for life in the teeth and claws of the ferocious beasts, five lion cubs, each about the size of a young bear or wolf hound, leaped from the car and tried to slip away. George McCord, keeper of the animals, realizing the peril to the crowds on every side, devoted all his energy to rounding them up and returning them to the car, which was accomplished without any tragedy.

The ten lions are the property of Mme. Adzie Castillo, who is to open an engagement in a local theater in July. Dietrich, who has been living at the Morrison Hotel and who was connected with the show, went to the car in which the animals had been brought to Chicago to feed them. This was shortly before 5 o'clock. Keeper McCord, who witnessed the tragedy, said:

Story Of Keeper.

"Dietrich went into the den where the six big lions are kept and I followed him. 'Teddy,' the leader in the attack upon Dietrich, started to play with him and he ordered the beast to lie down. Four of the lions were facing him at the time, including Teddy. Almost immediately Teddy slunk around behind Dietrich and in a second was on his back, tearing and clawing him frightfully. The others, Brutus, Nellie, Jeff and Mutt then joined in and what followed was awful, awful."

It required an hour's time and constant battling with the lions to recover the remnants of Dietrich's body. Great quantities of formaldehyde were shot into the cage, and the lions were gradually forced into a corner. A leather belt was the only article of clothing left upon the remains. Even the shoes were torn off.

FIND WOMAN' STORSO.

Dismembered Body, Sewed In A Sack, Taken From River.

Schenectady, N. Y.—The nude torso of a woman was taken from the Mohawk river by fishermen. The head, arms and legs had been severed and the body sewed in a sack. The police are investigating.

SNOW WITH MERCURY AT 100.

Muncie, Ind., Rubs Its Eyes and Marvels.

Muncie, Ind. — While humanity sweltered in a temperature of about 100 degrees Monday afternoon, snow fell in Muncie for more than a half hour, being mingled with a heavy rain. The flakes melted before they reached the ground, but the atmosphere about the higher stories of office buildings much of the time was white with snow.

MISS WILSON NOW AN EDITOR.

President's Daughter Chooses Musical Work On Magazine.

Madison, Wis.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, will have charge of the section devoted to community music in the Social Centre Magazine to be launched here soon. This was decided here at a conference of the prospective editors. Before she permitted her name to be used Miss Wilson exacted a promise that she be given something to do and not be a figurehead.

REVIVE HOPE FOR SUCCESS

The Mediation Conference to Continue.

VILLA REVOLT AS AN AID

Dr. Naon Predicts Negotiations Will Be Continued Two Weeks—The Friction Between Carranza and Villa.

Niagara Falls, Ont.—Instead of adjourning abruptly Saturday as had been expected, the mediation proceedings will be prolonged for another week.

The change was brought about as a result of the visit of Minister Naon, of Argentina, to Washington, where he conferred with President Wilson and Secretary Bryan. Dr. Naon brought back a spirit of optimism and some new ideas which he imparted to Ambassador da Gama of Brazil and Minister Suarez of Chile.

The determination which seems to have been reached is to keep the mediation board from formal adjournment, though there may be a recess in another week or so, while the search is continued for persons eligible for provisional president, according to the ideas set forth in the conferences.

Although no definite plan has been framed by the mediators and the American and Huerta delegates were unaware of the program except in a general way, all parties expressed a wish to prolong the negotiations and make renewed efforts to effect a compromise.

The Rebel Friction.

There is every reason to believe that the friction between Carranza and Villa and the report that General Huerta intended to retire in favor of Pedro Lascurain before the proceedings reached a conclusion affected the mediators in their decision. The possibility of developments on Mexican soil in the immediate future, which might change the entire aspect of the problem here, has been taken into consideration by the three South American diplomats.

The suggestion that the mediators waive for the time being the question of personnel and make an effort to agree on all the other parts of the peace program is much in favor. After it is complete the discussion would revert to the names for the provisional presidency. If no agreement were reached all members of the mediation colony would delight in a short recess while the search for names was continued by the American and Mexican delegates and the mediators attended to their private business.

CONSUL-GENERALS NAMED.

Robert P. Skinner Transferred From Berlin To London.

Washington, D. C.—The President nominated:

To be Consul-Generals:

Robert P. Skinner, of Ohio (now Consul-General at Berlin), at London, England.

Julius G. Lay, of the District of Columbia (now Consul-General at Rio de Janeiro), at Berlin, Germany.

Alfred L. M. Gottschalk, of New York (now Consul-General at large), at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Consul transfers:

Charles K. Moser, of Virginia (now Consul at Colombo), at Harbin, China.

To be Consul:

George S. Messersmith, of Dover, Del., at Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada.

LOVE MADE HER KILL HUSBAND.

Prominent Boston Lawyer Shot By His Wife On Road.

Exeter, N. H.—Henry H. Folsom, a Boston lawyer, was found dead with a bullet in his head on the road between here and New Market. His wife was standing over the body with a revolver in her hand, according to the police. She was arrested and the police say she admitted she fired the shot. "I did it because I loved him," she is alleged to have told the police.

SOUL FLASHED ON SCREEN.

Lecturer Illustrates His Talk On Spiritual Things.

Rochester, N. Y.—A lecture, illustrated by stereopticon views, of the aura or astral body that is said to correspond to what is known as the soul, accompanied with odd snakelike marks, said to be pictures of thought, and flanked by photographs of the spirits of the dead, was given by the Rev. R. R. Schleusner, of New York, before the New York State Spiritualists, in convention here.

NINE DEAD IN AERIAL CRASH

Both Craft Destroyed and Men Mutilated.

CROWDS WITNESS HORROR

While Engaged In Military Aerial Manouvers at a Great Height the Biplane's Nose Cuts Envelope Of a Big Dirigible.

AVIATOR'S DEATH TOLL.

Killed from September 17, 1908, to April 7, 1914 (unofficial)	462
Killed since April 7 (unofficial)	32
Total	494

DEATH LOSSES SINCE JANUARY 1.

Germany	28
France	15
Great Britain	13
United States	6
Turkey	3
Chile, Spain, Argentine, Switzerland and Italy one each	5
Total	70

Vienna.—Nine terribly-burned and mutilated bodies, the splintered fragments of an aeroplane and the charred remnants of a big dirigible balloon are the mute records of one of the most tragic, certainly the most sensational, disasters which have occurred since man learned to fly. The catastrophe, which resulted in the death of all concerned, followed a mimic attack by the aeroplane on the dirigible at a great height during the Austrian Army maneuvers, and it serves to show, more than any previous accidents to flying machines have done, the horrors that would be likely to attend aerial warfare.

The dirigible military balloon Koertling left Fischamend, a market town, 11 miles from Vienna, at 8 o'clock. She was manned by Captain Johaan Hauswirth, in command; Lieutenant Ernst Hofstette, Lieutenant Bruer, Lieutenant Hadinger, Corporal Hadima, Corporal Weber and Engineer Kammerer.

At the lapse of half an hour a military aeroplane of the biplane type, with Lieutenant Flatz aboard, started in pursuit.

Sham Fight Expected.

It was the intention of Captain Hauswirth to take photographs of the movements of the troops below, and then to join in the maneuvers. At the same time he was to keep out of range of any of the mosquito craft which might seek to attack him.

The news had gone abroad that something in the nature of a sham aerial fight would take place and at Konigsberg, the scene of the engagement, a big crowd had gathered. Very quickly the smaller, but much speedier, craft overtook the big airship and then the spectators witnessed a thrilling sight.

As might a wasp bent on attacking some clumsy enemy, the aeroplane circled several times around the balloon, now darting close to her and then away, always apparently steering off just in time to avoid an actual collision.

Meanwhile, the balloon continued to rise until it was about 1,300 feet from the ground. The aeroplane, at a still greater height maneuvered until it appeared to be nearly over the airship. Then it began its descent.

It was the evident intention of the pilot of the aeroplane to take up a position directly above the dirigible, within striking distance, but, owing either to a fatal miscalculation of the distance separating the two craft, or of speed, the nose of the biplane struck the envelope of the airship and ripped it wide open.

The Balloon Bursts.

A tremendous explosion followed; the balloon burst into flames, which enveloped the biplane, and in a moment the wreckage began to drop, crashing at length like lead to the slope of a hill.

The envelope of the balloon was still burning when it struck the ground. Lieutenant Hatz, when extricated from the wreckage of the aeroplane, showed faint signs of life; his body quivered and he seemed to be making an effort to raise himself, but almost immediately he expired. All the other aviators were killed instantly.

FOUND DEAD AFTER TWO DAYS.

Mercersburg Man's Body Lay Undiscovered In Chicken House.

Hagerstown, Md. — Lying undiscovered for two days in a chicken house in the rear of his residence, the body of Luther Raby, at Mercersburg, was found by his neighbors, Edgar Smith and Harry Lackhove. Raby had been ill for several weeks and lived alone. He was a painter and for many years was janitor of the Presbyterian Church.

TAKEN FROM LOST SHIP.

First Bodies Recovered By Divers From Empress Of Ireland.

Quebec.—Two bodies, the first recovered from the lost liner Empress of Ireland, arrived here on the Ocean Limited Canadian Pacific Railroad train from Rimouski. They were found by divers from the schooner Marine Josephine. The first corpse brought up was identified as a Mrs. Marshall. She was about 40 years old. The second body was that of a man named Crisswell, of Lethbridge.

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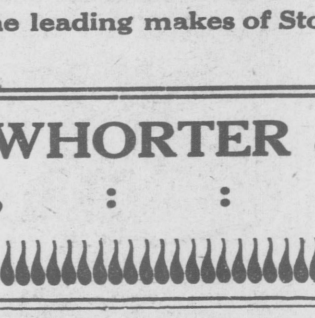

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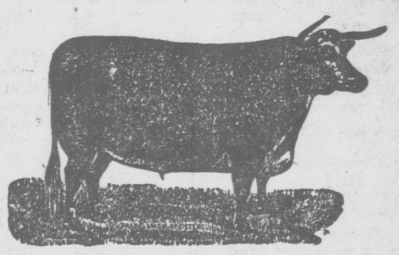

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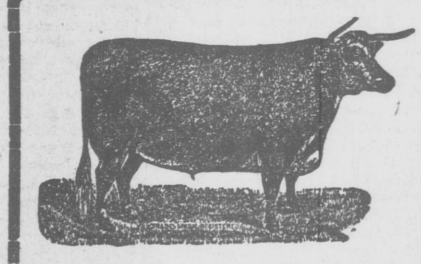

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CECILTON

Miss Blanche Brown, of Roper, N. C., is home for the summer.

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, of Chestertown, was in town on Tuesday.

Dallas Manlove was a Dover visitor on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Regina Price was the guest of Miss Mabel Coppage recently.

Miss Leona Yates and brother are visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. Clay and daughter, of Elkton, are the guests of Mrs. James T. Watts.

Miss Alverta Ferguson, of State Normal School, is home for the summer.

Messrs. James A. Smith, Thomas Hall and Julian Smith spent last week at Kirkwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allen, of Middletown, visited their daughter Mrs. William Jones recently.

Miss Minnie Gillespie, of Port Deposit, was the guest of Miss Georgia Walmsley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMullin, of Port Penn, spent Thursday with Misses Mollie and Arrie McCoy.

Miss Katherine M. McLane and Miss Rogers, of Baltimore, spent a few days at Bohemia farm last week.

Mrs. T. L. Davis and son Truston L. Davis, Jr., of Wilmington, are the guests of Mrs. J. E. Hoover.

Miss Isabella Griffith, of North Carolina, is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffith.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Mitchell and Miss Mary Rickards visited Mr. and Harry Clark, of near Earleville, recently.

Misses Marion Clark, of Washington, D. C., and Laura, of Philadelphia, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, of near town.

PORT PENN

Mr. Robert Ferguson is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Oliver Kershaw and son Samuel, spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Miss Helen Webb is visiting her sister Mrs. George Roemer, near Odessa.

Mrs. Frank Torbet, of Camden, N. J., is visiting her mother Mrs. George Shelton.

Mrs. John Wallen is entertaining her sister Miss Jennie Lorrigan, of Wilmington.

Mrs. Joe Wright and daughter Miss Rita, spent Wednesday last with Mrs. Samuel Bendler.

Mrs. George Webb is entertaining her sister Mrs. Maria King and Mrs. John Hurdle, of Lewes.

Mrs. Lillie Fleming, of Wilmington, spent two days of last week with her sister Mrs. Serick Fleming.

The Presbyterian Sunday School are practising for their Children's Day which will be observed July 5th.

The boys were defeated at a game of baseball on Saturday, by the Alpha team of Wilmington. The score being 8 to 9.

Mrs. Naomi Kershaw has returned after spending four weeks with her aunt Mrs. George Lockerman, in Camden, N. J.

The young people of our town and the Epworth League will hold a social in the P. O. S. of A. Hall, next Saturday evening.

Mrs. B. W. Yearsley had as her guests this week her mother Mrs. James Huston and sister Mrs. Carlton Allen, of Seaford.

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NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS —OF— St. Georges Hundred

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EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED:

Section 3—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

GEORGE E. RHODES,
Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS —OF— APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1913 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

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N. W. VANHORN,
Collector of Taxes for Appoquinimink Hundred

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS —OF— Blackbird Hundred!

The taxable residents of Blackbird Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1913 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT BLACKBIRD,
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HARRY S WOODKEEPER,
Collector of Taxes for Blackbird Hundred

ESTATE OF JEANETTE WILSON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Jeanette Wilson, late of Appoquinimink Hundred, deceased were duly granted unto Serick S. Wilson and William Penn Wilson on the 11th day of June A. D. 1914 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executors without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executors on or before the 11th day of June A. D. 1915 or abide by the law in this behalf.

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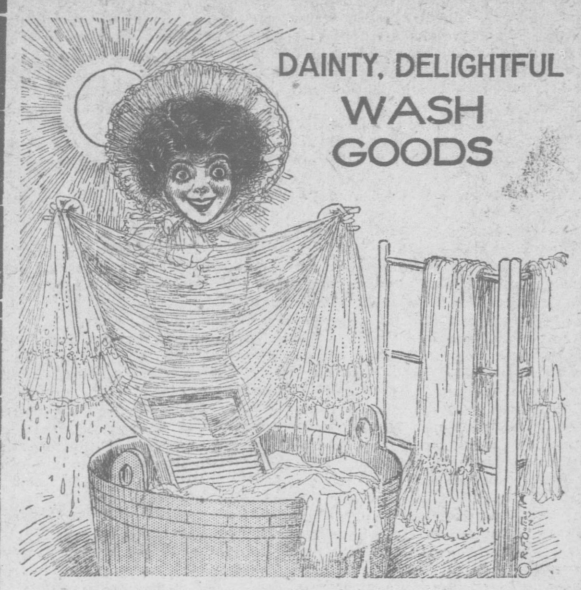

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Do your shopping right now and you'll be ready for the Fourth. We can supply your every need for Man Woman or Child.

We cannot give everything in details here for facts and figures, you must come yourself and above all things you will find in our store Integrity, Industry, Sincerity, Courtesy and Confidence, these are the very foundation stones that has built our Sucessfull Business.

A really extraordinary purchase of 100 Women's Wash Dresses. Regular $5.50 to $8.50 to be sold $2.75 and $5.00 This Mid June Sale is a month of wonders. A large lot of pretty summer dresses at half the average price, made of the season's newest materials sheer and prettily trimmed in shadow laces, ruffles and others with pretty long tunics—every one a smart new style. All sizes 34 to 44, come early as all sizes will not last long.

A manufacture's sample stock of New Summer Silk Waists at half price. In the collection are china silks, tub silks, in all white and lovely embroidery silks made in semi tailored and trimmed styles, high or low neck, full length, or three-quarter sleeves, also pretty silk crepes in maize, light blue and flesh color, $4.00 to $5.00. Waists at $2.00 and $2.50, all sizes.

Women's $2.00 Wash Skirts now $1.25, Of white pique, also white eponge, made with Russian tunic, others with ruffle tunic, at $1.25.

Girls $1.00 to $5.50 Tub Dresses, 50c to $2.00. A most fortunate purchase, which brings you these high grade, good looking dresses at almost half price, some are even less. Come in sizes 2 to 14 years, in white, lawns prettily trimmed, allover embroidery, white figured crepes and reps, also chambrays at 50, 75c, $1.00, $2.00 and $2.50.

Untrimmed and Trimmed Millinery, Ribbons, Flowers, Fancies to be sold at less than half price, $5.00 hats at $2.00; $3.00 and $4.00 hats $1.50. All our $3.00 hats at $1.00 All Trimmings at less than half price. About 100 Trimmed Hats to choose from.

A big lot of laces will be put on sale next week. We bought $500 worth of all the newest laces from a firm going out of business, at half price, and will put it on sale for less than half price. Shadow lace, silk venetians, allover lace, baby Irish, heavy venese, in all widths, values 10c up to $3.00 a yard, will be sold at 5c to 50c a yard.

Do not miss this sale, the values are great and will never be duplicated.

Be sure and visit our store during this Mid-June sale, as all our stock will be marked at specially low prices, and your dollar will be worth $2 if you do your shopping at

Fogel & Burstan's Dept. Store
Corner Broad and Main Sts., Middletown, Del.

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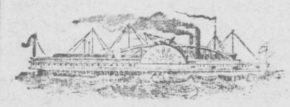

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STEAMER CLIO
Captain Pierce B. Stevens
WILL LEAVE
Odessa and Port Penn for Philadelphia
AND RETURN FROM
Arch St. Wharf, Phila.
AS PER TIME TABLE

ODESSA	JUNE	PHILA
Monday, 1, 1.30pm	Tuesday, 2, 12.30pm
Thursday, 4, 4.30pm	Friday, 5, 2.00pm
Monday, 8, 7.00pm	Tuesday, 9, 5.30pm
Thursday, 11, 12.30pm	Friday, 12, 7.30pm
Monday, 15, 1.00pm	Tuesday, 16, 12.30pm
Thursday, 18, 4.00pm	Friday, 19, 1.00pm
Monday, 22, 6.00pm	Tuesday, 23, 4.00pm
Thursday, 25, 11.00am	Friday, 26, 6.30pm
Monday, 29, 12.30pm	Tuesday, 30, 11.30am

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